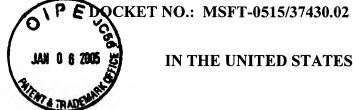
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For	: METHOD AND APPARATUS	FOR A UNIFIED USER INTERFACE
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Sir:		
	REPLY TRA	NSMITTAL LETTER
	A Preliminary Amendment.	
$\boxtimes$	An Amendment Responsive to the C	Office Action Dated October 6, 2004.
	An Amendment Supplemental to the	e Paper filed .
	A Substitute Specification (pages 1	- ) in clean form.
	A substitute specification (pa	ages 1 - ) with markings.
	An Abstract is enclosed.	
	replacement sheets of drawin	gs are enclosed comprising figures .
	- · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	lack and white photograph(s) in this case, as they are ustrating the claimed invention. One (1) set of black igure(s) is submitted herewith.
	Petition is hereby made to accept dra	awing(s)/photograph(s) in this case.

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	Applicant(s) has previously claimed small entity status under 37 CFR § 1.27.
	Applicant(s) by its/their undersigned attorney, claims small entity status under 37 CFR § 1.27 as
	This application is no longer entitled to small entity status. It is requested that this be noted in the files of the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office.

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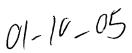
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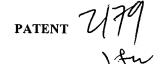
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## REPLY PURSUANT TO 37 CFR § 1.111

The present paper is submitted as a complete response to the Office Action dated October 6, 2004. Applicants respectfully request consideration of the amendments and/or remarks as indicated below:

	Amendments to the Specification begin on page (n/a) of this paper.
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